

## Drug Category Reference

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Drug	Trade Names	DRE Category	Pharmacological Category	Notes from the Lab
6-acetylmorphine		Narcotic Analgesic	Narcotic Analgesic	Metabolite of Heroin
7-aminoclonazepam	Clonopin®, Klonopin®	CNS Depressant	Benzodiazepine	Clonazepam metab. May not be quantified
7-aminoflunitrazepam	Rohypnol®	CNS Depressant	Benzodiazepine	CNS Depressant, No longer seen
9-hydroxyrisperidone	Risperidal®	CNS Depressant	Anti-psychotic	Not detected by WSTL (Risperidone metab)
Acetaminophen		Narcotic Analgesic	Analgesic	Generally not impairing by itself
Acetone		Inhalant	Solvent	Diabetics & Stimulant users who do not eat
Acetylcodeine		Narcotic Analgesic	Narcotic Analgesic	
Alprazolam	Xanax®	CNS Depressant	Benzodiazepine	CNS Depressant
Amitriptyline	Elavil®, Endep®	CNS Depressant	Tricyclic Antidepressant	CNS Depressant
Amphetamine	Adderall®, Dexedrine®	CNS Stimulant	Stimulant	Used to treat ADHD, met. Of methamp
Antipyrine		Narcotic Analgesic	Analgesic	Not Impairing
Aripiprazole	Abilify®	CNS Depressant	Anti-psychotic	
Atomoxetine	Strattera®	CNS Stimulant	NRI	Used to tx ADHD - less of a stimulant than other ADHD drugs
Benzoylecgonine		CNS Stimulant	Stimulant	Metabolite of Cocaine
Benzphetamine	Didrex®	CNS Stimulant	Stimulant	Tx for obesity - metabolizes to methamp
Blood Ethanol		CNS Depressant	CNS Depressant	
Brompheniramine	Dimetane®	CNS Depressant	Antihistamine	CNS Depressant
Bupivacaine	Marcaine®	Local anesthetic	Local Anaesthetic	Not impairing
Buprenorphine	Buprenex®, Subutex®	Narcotic Analgesic	Narcotic Analgesic	Cannot be detected by WSTL currently
Bupropion	Wellbutrin®, Zyban®	CNS Depressant	Anti-depressant	Generally not impairing
Buspirone	BuSpar®	CNS Depressant	Anxiolytic	CNS Depressant
Butabarbital	Butisol®	CNS Depressant	Barbiturate	CNS Depressant
Butabital	Sandoptal®	CNS Depressant	Barbiturate	CNS Depressant
Caffeine		(CNS Stimulant)		Generally not impairing
Cannabinoids		Cannabis		
Carbamazepine	Tegretol®	CNS Depressant	Anti-convulsant; psychiatric med adjunct	CNS Depressant
Carbocy-THC		Cannabis		Metabolite of Marijuana
Carisoprodal	Soma®	CNS Depressant	Muscle Relaxant	Metabolizes to meprobamate
Cathinone	khat, qat	CNS Stimulant	Stimulant	1/3 potency of amphetamine
Cetirizine	Zyrtec®		Antihistamine	Non-sedating non-impairing
Chlordiazepoxide	Librium®	CNS Depressant	Benzodiazepine	Metabolizes to nordiazepam
Chlorprocaine	Nesacain®	CNS Stimulant	Local Anaesthetic	Generally not impairing
Chlorpheniramine	chlortrimaton	CNS Depressant	Antihistamine	CNS Depressant
Chlopromazine	Thorazine®	CNS Depressant	Anti-psychotic	CNS Depressant
Cimetidine	Tagamet®	CNS Depressant	Antihistamine	CNS Depressant

Citalopram	Celexa®, Lexapro®	CNS Depressant	SSRI	Mild CNS Depressant, generally not impairing
Clomipramine	Anafranil®	CNS Depressant	Tricyclic Antidepressant	CNS Depressant
Clonazepam	Clonopin®, Klonopin®	CNS Depressant	Benzodiazepine	CNS Depressant
Clonidine	Catapres®	CNS Depressant (mild)	Anti-hypertensive	CNS Depressant
Chlorazepate	Tranxene®	CNS Depressant	Benzodiazepine	Metabolizes to nordiazepam
Clozapine	Clozaril®, Leponex®	CNS Depressant	Anti-psychotic	Used to tx severe schizophrenia
Cocaethylene		CNS Stimulant	Stimulant	Metabolite of Cocaine & Ethanol
Cocaine		CNS Stimulant	Stimulant	
Codeine		Narcotic Analgesic	Narcotic Analgesic	
Cotinine		(CNS Stimulant)		Metabolite of Nicotine (Cigarettes)
Cyclobenzaprine	Flexeril®, Lisseril®	CNS Depressant	Tricyclic Antidepressant	Used for short term tx back pain
Desalkylflurazepam		CNS Depressant	Benzodiazepine	Metabolite of Flurazepam
Desipramine	Norpramin®, Pertograne®	CNS Depressant	Tricyclic Antidepressant	Also a met of Imipramine
Desmethylcitalopram		CNS Depressant	SSRI	Metabolite of Citalopram
Desmethylclomipramine		CNS Depressant	Tricyclic Antidepressant	Metabolite of Clomipramine
Desmethyldoxepin		CNS Depressant	Tricyclic Antidepressant	Metabolite of Doxepin
Desmethylsertraline		CNS Depressant	SSRI	Metabolite of Sertraline
Desmethyltramadol		Narcotic Analgesic	Narcotic Analgesic	Metabolite of Tramadol
Dextromethorphan	many cold and cough meds	Dissociative Anesthetic		Can cause hallucinations, psychosis
Diazepam	Valium®	CNS Depressant	Benzodiazepine	Metabolizes to nordiazepam
Dicyclomine	Bentyl®	CNS Stimulant	Anticholinergic	CNS Stimulant
Difluoroethane	Dust off®	Inhalant		CNS Depressant
Dihydrocodeine		Narcotic Analgesic	Narcotic Analgesic	
Diltiazem	Cardizem®, Tiazac®		Calcium Channel Blocker	Heart Medication
Diphenhydramine	Benadryl®	CNS Depressant	Antihistamine	CNS Depressant
Doxepin	Adaoin®, Sinequan®, Zonalon®	CNS Depressant	Tricyclic Antidepressant	CNS Depressant
Doxylamine	Bendectin®, Unisom®, other cold	CNS Depressant	Antihistamine	CNS Depressant
Egononinemethylester		CNS Stimulant	Stimulant	Metabolite of Cocaine
EDDP-methadone		Narcotic Analgesic	Narcotic Analgesic	Metabolite of Methadone
Ephedrine	Primatene®	CNS Stimulant	Sympathomimetic amine	No longer available commercially
Ethanol		CNS Depressant		CNS Depressant
ETOH		CNS Depressant		
Etorphine		Narcotic Analgesic	Narcotic Analgesic	Veterinary narcotic analgesic
Felbamate	Felbatol®	CNS Depressant	CNS Depressant	Related to meprobamate, anticonvulsive
Fentanyl	Duragesic®, Sublimaze®	Narcotic Analgesic	Narcotic Analgesic	Patch, often chewed, extracted and inj.
Fexofenidine	Allegra®	CNS Depressant	Antihistamine	Generally not impairing
Flunitrazepam	Rohypnol®	CNS Depressant	Benzodiazepine	CNS Depressant, No longer seen
Fluoxetine	Prozac®	CNS Depressant	SSRI	Generally not impairing
Flurazepam	Dalmane®	CNS Depressant	Benzodiazepine	CNS Depressant
Fluvoxamine	Luvox®	CNS Depressant	SSRI	Generally not impairing
Gabapentin	Neurontin®	CNS Depressant	Anti-convulsant	Commonly used for pain, restless leg syndrome

GHB	Xyrem®	CNS Depressant	Anesthetic & Hypnotic	Illegally made, Used to tx narcolepsy
Guaiifenesin		CNS Depressant	Cough medicine & veterinary muscle relaxant	Also a metabolite of methocarbamol
Halazepam	Paxipam®	CNS Depressant	Benzodiazepine	Rarely seen
Haloperidol	Haldol®	CNS Depressant	Antipsychotic	
Hydrocodone	Vicodin®, Lortab®	Narcotic Analgesic	Narcotic Analgesic	metabolizes to hydromorphone
Hydromorphone	Dilaudid®	Narcotic Analgesic	Narcotic Analgesic	
Hydroxyamitriptyline		CNS Depressant	Tricyclic Antidepressant	Metabolite of amitriptyline
Hydroxyzine	Atarax®, Visteril®	CNS Depressant	Antihistamine	Used as an adjunct to pain meds
Ibuprofen	Advil®, Motrin®, Nuprin®	Narcotic Analgesic	Analgesic	Generally not impairing
Imipramine	Tofranil®	CNS Depressant	Tricyclic Antidepressant	Metabolizes to desipramine
Kavain	Kava, kawain	CNS Stimulant		Root of South Asia pepper plant
Ketamine	Ketalar®	Dissociative Anesthetic	Anesthetic	Special K
Lamotrigene	Lamictal®	CNS Depressant	Anti-epileptic	Tx: psychiatric disorders, chronic pain
Leretiracetam	Keppra®	CNS Depressant	Anti-epileptic	Tx: psychiatric disorders, chronic pain
Levorphanol	Dromoran®	Narcotic Analgesic	Narcotic Analgesic	
Lidocaine	Xylocain®	Local anesthetic	Local Anaesthetic	Tx: local wounds, arrhythmia
Lithium		CNS Depressant	Metal	Treatment of mania and severe depression
Lorazepam	Ativan®	CNS Depressant	Benzodiazepine	Needs special test
Loxapine	Daxoline®, Loxitane®	CNS Depressant	Tricyclic Antidepressant	
LSD		Hallucinogen	Hallucinogen	Currently not detected at WSTL, if suspected collect urine
MDA		Hallucinogen (Stimulant)	Sympathomimetic amine	Metabolite of MDMA
MDMA	Ectasy, "Adam"	Hallucinogen (Stimulant)	Sympathomimetic amine	Stimulant & Hallucinogen
Meclizine	Dramamine®	CNS Depressant	Antihistamine	OTC
Meperidine	Demerol®	Narcotic Analgesic	Narcotic Analgesic	
Meprobamate	Equinal®, Miltown®	CNS Depressant	CNS Depressant	Also a metabolite of Carisoprodol
Mesoridazine		CNS Depressant	Anti-psychotic	CNS Depressant
Metaxalone	Skelaxin®	CNS Depressant	Muscle relaxant	
Methadone	Methadose®	Narcotic Analgesic	Narcotic Analgesic	Used to tx narcotic addiction and chronic pain
Methamphetamine	(Selegiline®)	CNS Stimulant	Sympathomimetic amine	Tx ADHD, Parkinson's (L-isomer)
Methaqualone	Quaalude®	CNS Depressant	Sedative & Hypnotic	CNS Depressant
Methocarbamol	Robaxin®	CNS Depressant	Sedative & Hypnotic	Muscle relaxant, sedative
Methylphenidate	Ritalin®	CNS Stimulant	Phenethylamine Derivative	Used to tx ADHD
Metoclopramide	Reglan®	CNS Depressant	Treatment of Reflux	(CNS Depressant)
Midazolam	Versed®	CNS Depressant	Benzodiazepine	Often used by EMT at scene
Mirtazepine	Remeron®	CNS Depressant	Anti-depressant	CNS Depressant
Modanfinil	Provigil®	CNS Stimulant	Used to treat narcolepsy	
Morphine	Often used by EMT at scene	Narcotic Analgesic	Narcotic Analgesic	Can be met of heroin, codeine
Naproxen	Aleve®0000	Narcotic Analgesic	Analgesic	Generally not impairing
N-desalkylflurazepam	Dalmane®	CNS Depressant	Benzodiazepine	Metabolite of Flurazepam
N-desmethyltramadol		Narcotic Analgesic	Narcotic Analgesic	Metabolite of Tramadol
Nefazodone	Serzone®	CNS Depressant	Anti-depressant	CNS Depressant

Nordiazepam		CNS Depressant	Benzodiazepine	Generally is metabolite of other benzos
Norfluoxetine		CNS Depressant	SSRI	Metabolite of Fluoxetine
Normeperidine		Narcotic Analgesic	Narcotic Analgesic	Metabolite of Meperidine
Norpromethazine		CNS Depressant	Phenothiazine	Metabolite of Promethazine
Norpropoxyphene		Narcotic Analgesic	Narcotic Analgesic	Metabolite of Propoxyphene
Norsetraline		CNS Depressant	SSRI	Metabolite of Sertraline
Nortriptyline		CNS Depressant	Tricyclic Antidepressant	Also metabolite of amitriptyline
Norvenefaxine		CNS Depressant	SSRI	Metabolite of Venlafaxine
Norverapamil		CNS Depressant	Anti-anginal	Generally not impairing by itself-heart med
O-desmethyltramadol		Narcotic Analgesic	Narcotic Analgesic	Metabolite of Tramadol
O-desmethylvenlafaxine		CNS Depressant		Metabolite of Venlafaxine
Olanzapine	Zyprexa®	CNS Depressant	Anti-psychotic	CNS Depressant
Opiates		Narcotic Analgesic	Narcotic Analgesic	
Orphenadrine	Used to tx Parkinson's	CNS Depressant	Antihistamine	CNS Depressant
Oxazepam	Serax®	CNS Depressant	Benzodiazepine	Also metabolite of other benzos
Oxcarbazepine	Trileptal®	CNS Depressant	Anti-convulsant	Tx: psychiatric disorders, chronic pain
Oxycodone	Oxycontin®, Percoset®, Percodan	Narcotic Analgesic	Narcotic Analgesic	
Oxymorphone		Narcotic Analgesic	Narcotic Analgesic	Also metabolite of oxycodone
Papaverine	Cerebid®, Pavabid®		Smooth muscle relaxant	Also contaminant of opium
Paroxetine	Paxil®	CNS Depressant	SSRI	Generally not impairing
Phencyclidine	Veterinary tranquilizer	Dissociative Anesthetic	Anesthetic	CNS Depressant & (Rarely) Agitation
Phendimetrazine	Bontril®	CNS Stimulant	Anorectic	
Phenobarbital	Luminol®	CNS Depressant	Barbiturate	CNS Depressant
Phentermine	Adipex®	CNS Stimulant	Sympathomimetic amine	Anorectic
Phenytoin	Dilantin®	CNS Depressant	Anti-convulsant	Tx: psychiatric disorders, chronic pain
Primidone	Mysoline®	CNS Depressant	Barbiturate	
Promethazine	Phergan	CNS Depressant	Phenothiazine	Antihistminic & antiemetic
Propoxyphene	Darvon®	Narcotic Analgesic	Narcotic Analgesic	
Propranolol	Beta-blocker	CNS Depressant	Antihypertensive	
Pseudo/ephedrine	Sudafed® Cold medications	CNS Stimulant	Sympathomimetic amine	Typically this is pseudoephedrine; lab does not distinguish
Psilocybin	Mushrooms	Hallucinogen	Hallucinogen	If suspected, collect urine
Quetiapine	Seroquel®	CNS Depressant	Neuroleptic	Treatment of psychosis
Risperidone	Risperidal®	CNS Depressant	Anti-psychotic	Treatment of psychosis
Secobarbital	Seconal®	CNS Depressant	Barbiturate	
Sertraline	Zoloft®	CNS Depressant	SSRI	Generally not impairing
Sevoflurane	Ultane®	CNS Depressant	Anesthetic	
Sibutramine	Meridia	CNS Stimulant	Anorectic	Used as appetite suppressant
Temazepam	Restoril®	CNS Depressant	Benzodiazepine	
THC		Cannabis		
Theophylline	Bronchodilator			methylxanthine/for asthma
Thioridazine		CNS Depressant	Phenothiazine	Anti-psychotic

Toluene	Paints & Glue Sniffing	Inhalant		CNS Depressant
Topiramate	Topamax	CNS Depressant	Anti-convulsant	Tx: migraines, psychiatric disorders, chronic pain
Tramadol	Ultram	Narcotic Analgesic	Narcotic Analgesic	
Trazadone	Desyrel®	CNS Depressant	Anti-depressant	CNS Depressant
Triazolam	Halcion®	CNS Depressant	Benzodiazepine	
Trimethoprim				Used to treat urinary tract infections
Valproic Acid	Dekaptote®, Depakene®	CNS Depressant	Anti-convulsant	Tx: psychiatric disorders, chronic pain
Venlafaxine	Effexor®	CNS Depressant	SSNRI	Generally not impairing
Verapamil	Anti-angina , - arrhythmic	CNS Depressant	Antiangular	Generally not impairing-heart med
Zaleplon	Sonata®	CNS Depressant	Sleeping pill	
Ziprasidone	Geodon®	CNS Depressant	Anti-psychotic	Treatment of psychosis
Zolpidem	Ambien®	CNS Depressant	Sleeping pill	
Zopiclone	Imovane®	CNS Depressant	Sleeping pill	
Zonisamide	Excegran®	CNS Depressant	Anti-convulsant	Tx: psychiatric disorders, chronic pain